

PIPITONE GUY L  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
PIPITONE GUY L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/25/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior Vice President

AKRON, OH 44308  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	02/25/2005		A		4,275.33 (1) \$ 39.535	A	39,275.33 D
Common Stock	02/25/2005		D		4,275.33 (1) \$ 39.535	D	35,000 D
Common Stock						I	5,961.1552 I By Savings Plan Trust

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 27.75							11/22/2004	11/22/2010	Common Stock	20,
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.5							05/16/2005	05/16/2011	Common Stock	40,
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71							03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock	41,
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.82							06/08/2002	06/08/2008	Common Stock	7,0
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.87							03/01/2003	03/01/2009	Common Stock	6,0
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.45							04/01/2003	04/01/2012	Common Stock	35,
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76							03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	34,
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/25/2005		A	2,565.198 <sup>(3)</sup>			02/25/2005	03/01/2008	Common Stock	2,565

